

ADVISORY OPINION 94-027

Any advisory opinion rendered by the registry under subsection (1) or (2) of this section may be relied upon only by the person or committee involved in the specific transaction or activity with respect to which the advisory opinion is required. KRS 121. 135(4).

January 9, 1995

Mr. E. C. Stivers, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Stivers:

This is in response to your December 8, 1994, letter requesting an opinion regarding whether your association ("KPMA") may continue the procedure of receiving PAC fund donations through annual dues provided the members send separate checks for the Kentucky Podiatry - Political Action Committee ("KP-PAC") and for dues to the Association.

The Registry, in Advisory Opinion 92-005 (attached), determined that an association may solicit contributions through dues statements to members but must require its members to remit two checks to the Association, one for the PAC contributions, and the other for payment of dues.

It appears from the facts stated in your letter that KPMA has followed this procedure. Therefore, it would not be in violation of any constitutional or statutory provision prohibiting corporate contributions.

Sincerely,

Rosemary F. Center
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